

REMARKS

Applicant has added new claims 27-40 and requests that these claims be examined together with the originally filed claims 1-26.

In view of the foregoing, it is submitted that this Amendment should be approved, entered and made of record in the present application.

In view of the foregoing, consideration and early allowance of this application are respectfully requested.

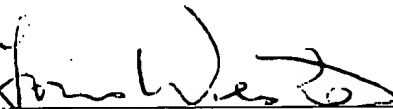
If, however the Examiner is of the opinion that such favorable action cannot now be taken, it is requested that he telephone Applicant's undersigned attorney in order that any outstanding issue may be resolved without the necessity of a further Office Action.

Please charge the cost of additional claims (\$441) to the deposit account of the undersigned Acct. No. 23-0815).

If there are any additional fees due in connection with this response or any credits due, the Examiner is authorized to either charge or credit our Deposit Account No. 23-0815.

Respectfully submitted,

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